

AMENDED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR U.S. NATIONAL PHASE PATENT APPLICATION CLAIMING PRIORITY TO PCT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)



As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe that we are original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

MACROSCOPICALLY MANIPULATE NANOSCALE DEVICES MADE FROM NANOTUBE ASSEMBLIES

the specification of which:

is attached hereto; or

was filed on November 30, 2001 as a Continuation Application Number 10/000,746 (Attorney Docket No. 11321-P011WUC1) of U.S. National Phase of 09/242,040 and PCT Application Number PCT/US97/13896 which published as WO 98/05920 on February 12, 1998, corresponding to United States Provisional Patent Application No. 60/023,732, filed August 8, 1996.

The following divisionals of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/000,746 have been filed (the "Divisional Patent Applications"):

Appl. Serial No.	Att. Docket No.	Continuity Type:	Filing Date:
10/028,231	11321-P011C1D1	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,671	11321-P011C1D2	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/038,204	11321-P011C1D3	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,753	11321-P011C1D4	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/036,684	11321-P011C1D5	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,670	11321-P011C1D6	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,750	11321-P011C1D7	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,726	11321-P011C1D8	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,628	11321-P011C1D9	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,668	11321-P011CD10	Divisional	December 21, 2001
10/027,568	11321-P011CD11	Divisional	December 21, 2001

We further believe that we are original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the inventions of these Divisional Patent Applications.

Collectively, United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/000,746 and the Divisional Patent Applications are the "Applications".

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specifications for each of the Applications, including the claims. We hereby authorize our attorney, or his representative, to insert the Application Number, filing and amendment dates.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits for each of the Applications under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Cop	py Attached?
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[ORIGINAL BASE/PRIORITY APPLICATION]					×

We hereby claim the benefit for each of the Applications under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Application No.	Official Filing Date
60/023,732	August 8, 1996

We hereby claim the benefit for each of the Applications under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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For each of the Divisional Patent Applications, we further claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/000,746, and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of any of the Divisional Patent Application is not disclosed in the this prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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